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SENATE PASSES FOOD CONTROL BILL

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PLACING OF \$2 MAXIMUM AS PRICE FOR WHEAT ELIMINATES MANIPULATION

POWERS GIVEN TO WILSON

President Given Control of Foods, Feeds and Fuel; Bill Provides for Appointment of Three Administrators; Grain for Distillation is Prohibited

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—The senate today passed the food control bill by the overwhelming majority of 81 to 6. The president is given broad powers over all foods, feeds and fuels.

The bill provides for the appointment of three administrators. The maximum price of wheat is fixed at \$2, thus eliminating any chance of manipulators hoarding prices.

Further use of grain for distillation purposes is also prohibited, and the president is empowered to buy all spirits now in bonded warehouses for war purposes if he should deem it necessary.

The house today appropriated \$840,000,000 for aviation purposes after only an hour's discussion. The vote was not recorded.

BLOODY LOSS IS INFLICTED ON GERMANS

Teuton Armies on the Aisne Expelled From Trenches By French in Brilliant Counter-Attacks

While Russia's offensive in Galicia has practically been shattered and her armies have suffered a severe reverse as result of the destruction of the morale of her soldiers due to the latest outbreak in Petrograd, German arms on the western front have likewise sustained a severe reverse. Associated Press war reports today declare that the Crown Prince's armies at the Aisne have been severely beaten. All heroic sacrifices made by German troops to push back the French have been repulsed with terrible losses to the Teutons.

The latest news from Petrograd is that while the Germans succeeded in crossing over the border into Galicia 40 miles and leaving a path of destruction in their wake, the mutinous element in Petrograd is being controlled. It is reported that Lenin and other pro-German Socialists have been arrested.

On the west front British troops are conducting a series of successful raids in the Belgian battle front, harassing the Germans and taking first line trenches.

GERMANS LOSE HEAVILY IN ATTACKS ON CERNY

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

PARIS, France, July 21.—After terrible fighting on the Cerny sector of the Aisne the Germans twice succeeded in penetrating French trenches, but were later expelled by brilliant counter-attacks. All other attacks on the French front were repulsed with bloody losses to the enemy.

GERMANS PUSH AHEAD ON FRONT IN GALICIA

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

BERLIN, Germany, July 21.—German troops continued to advance on the Galician front, favored by the defection of Slav troops in that sector. They crossed the Zlochaff, near Ternopol, on a front of 40 kilometers. The retreating Russians are burning villages, and laying waste the country evacuated.

RECALL OF FICKERT IS SOUGHT BY FRISCO

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 21.—Petitions bearing the names of 15,038 signers, demanding the recall of District Attorney Fickert have been filed as an outgrowth of the Oxnard charges during the Mooney trial. The petitions are circulated by the labor party.

High Lights In The Week's News



Registration Officers Have First Meeting

150 Workers From All Islands Discuss Final Arrangements for Work on July 31

One hundred and fifty registration officials from Oahu, Kauai, Hawaii and Maui gathered this morning in the hall of representatives at the capitol to discuss the final arrangements for the registration of this territory's citizens for the selective draft.

Two meetings were held, as had been planned. At 10 o'clock the central board met with the boards from the island and an hour later Sheriff Rose and his big band of workers for Oahu assembled to talk over the plans. The county boards remained for this second meeting.

Several matters of importance, chiefly detailed ones concerning the registration blanks, were discussed and decided upon at the meetings. Attorney R. R. Bevin from Maui brought up the question of how a Chinese-Japanese or similar mixture should be classed, whether Mongolian or Japanese. It was decided that the individual should be given an opportunity to decide for himself in this regard, and where he had no choice the registrar should determine. Any persons having Hawaiian blood, no matter how little, are to be registered as Hawaiians, providing they have been born in the territory. If they were born in the states they should be registered as Caucasians. It was generally agreed that this plan would work out satisfactorily. Those who attended as special representatives.

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BROKERS BEATEN IN STOCK SALE BY LONE WOMAN

That there is one woman in Honolulu who is not only perfectly capable of taking care of herself in a business transaction, but also able to times to slip it over a full cohort of brokers, was illustrated at noon today at the auction sale of 132 shares of Mutual Telephone Company stock. The sale took place at the office of James F. Morgan Co. The room was full of brokers and only one woman, Mrs. Angela M. Mann, 1204 Lunalilo street. The first lot put up for sale was 50 shares. The bidding started at \$15 and went to \$17. Suddenly Mrs. Mann bid \$18 and while the brokers were bickering among themselves, Elmer L. Schwarzer, auctioneer, knocked them down to her. Immediately there was an uproar, the brokers claiming that they had bid higher, but Schwarzer ruled otherwise and with a quiet "I am sorry gentlemen," Mrs. Mann left with the stock.

Of the remaining 83 shares eight went to A. H. Rice at \$18.50 and 75 to the Hawaiian Trust Company at 13-3-4.

FOUR TIMES TONNAGE OF SHIPS BUILT SINCE WAR DESTROYED BY U-BOATS

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—According to the best available information at the command of officials here, statistics show that since the beginning of the German ruthless submarine campaign four times the amount of tonnage built has been lost. Millions of tons dead weight monthly have been sent to the bottom, and their cargoes lost.

AMSTERDAM, Netherlands, July 21.—General Ludendorff, speaking in the German Reichstag yesterday, declared that "in the submarine policy the supreme naval command desired to hit the enemy's war industries, and already through the U-boat campaign our armies in the west had been greatly relieved."

"They expected through their submarines to break England's ability to continue the war by lessening the tonnage, a fulfillment which will come despite America's entry on the side of the Allies. Then the much desired peace will come."

United States, said the chancellor, had not ships enough to transport any army of any consequence to Europe and keep it supplied, especially in the face of the increasing activities of the German submarines, while Great Britain and France have no ships to spare from their own pressing needs. Indonesians' Frightfulness

NEW GERMAN CHANCELLOR HURLS DEFIANCE AND CONTEMPT AT U. S.

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, July 21.—The full text of the address of Georg Michaelis, the new imperial chancellor of Germany, as made in the reichstag on Thursday, was received here yesterday and it puts the new government of that empire on record as refusing to initiate any further peace proposals.

A feature of the address was the contemptuous defiance of the United States and the statement that the entry of America into the war will work out to the benefit of Germany rather than to her detriment. The

U. S. OFFICER'S COURT MARTIAL IS ABANDONED

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 21.—The war department has ordered the abandonment of court martial proceedings against Captain George Pond, as the alleged offense was purely technical, and did not warrant the time which such a trial would demand. The offense was the disposing of junk which he authorized sold.

PERSHING'S MEN GRASP PRINCIPLE OF BOMB HURLING

AMERICAN CAMP IN FRANCE, July 21.—Uncle Sam's boys behind the fighting line today began bombing practice under French and British instructors, and are proving apt pupils. Their proficiency in baseball is proving of considerable value to them in the gentle art of throwing hand grenades.

U. S. CONSUL ARRESTED BY RUSS, REPORT

AMSTERDAM, Netherlands, July 21.—The Lokal Anzeiger says that American Consul Ray and the British consul at Odessa have been imprisoned for having spoken unfavorably about the revolution. Soldiers are guarding the prison, and have refused to liberate them.

New "Bloodtown" Near Waipahu Is Raided By Police

Free-for-All Fight in One of Three Dance Halls Leads to Closing of Alleged Dives

What was declared to be a "second bloodtown" at Waipahu has been nipped in the infancy by the police with the cooperation of E. K. Bull, manager of the Oahu Sugar Co., the Oahu license inspectors and the sheriff's department.

Recently three dance halls conducted by Filipinos have been running nightly at Waipahu in a section near the railway station. Besides the Filipino girl attaches of the hall, street women were attracted there from Honolulu, and, it is said, it was not unusual for as many as 100 soldiers to gather there from Schofield Barracks and Hawaii.

On Tuesday night of this week a soldier had a fight with a Filipino, during which he pulled an empty gun. The Filipino and his friends began throwing bottles and a free for all fight was soon underway.

The following day complaint was made to Sheriff Rose and later Deputy Sheriff Asch instructed Deputy Sheriff Fernandez at Waipahu to close up the dance halls. The order went into effect and was enforced without trouble on Thursday evening, the Filipino women all coming to Honolulu to seek new quarters.

Say 'Tong' War Is Smouldering On Garden Isle

Report is Kauai Chinese Have Appealed to Local Faction for Aid; One Tong Man Said to Have Been Beaten Up

Rumors of a tong war said to be smouldering on Kauai and one that promises to develop into a fight that would rival some of the hottest contests of San Francisco's famous Chinatown of olden days, were brought to Honolulu this morning by passengers returning on the Mauna Kea.

Appeals have been made to a Honolulu faction. It was stated today by a Chinese returning from the Garden Island, urging that members from this city take part in a fight for vengeance on Hee Fat, a wealthy rice grower.

So far as could be learned today no response has been made as yet by the local society. The tong or society vowing vengeance is said to be a so-called "Free Mason" organization. The story as learned by the Star-Bulletin today savors of Chinese fights of more than a decade ago.

Domestic troubles are said to have been at the foundation of the smouldering war. It is claimed that a Chinese of Kauai, who now lives at Keolu hospital as a result of the attack upon him, was beaten up by Hee Fat and two of the rice grower's hire laborers.

Flats and clubs, according to the story, were used effectively upon the victim so that for a time his life was practically despaired of. He is still in a badly battered condition at the hospital.

The name of the victim could not be learned today, but he belongs to the tong which is said to be swearing vengeance, and which has vowed to "get" Hee Fat.

Chinese in Honolulu who had heard of the trouble admitted that it has caused considerable disturbance and much gossip among their race on the Garden Isle. They would not be surprised, they said, if a war of the real old tong variety should develop as a result of the fight.

CHINESE APPOINTMENTS CLEAR UP SITUATION

LONDON, Eng., July 21.—The appointment of Feng Kwok Chang to the presidency of China, along with several moderates in the cabinet, is declared to have strengthened the hand of Tuan Chi Jui, who is temporarily dictator during the formation of China's new government.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE
At Boston—Boston 2, Chicago 1.
At New York—New York 4, Pittsburgh 2.
At Philadelphia—St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 5.
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati 6, Brooklyn 2; Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 1.

KERENSKY IS BLAMED FOR SLAV CRISIS

Resignation of Lvoff Precipitates Stormy Scene at Cabinet Meeting

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

PETROGRAD, Russia, July 21.—Thirty-six extremist delegates, en route to spread their propaganda among the sailors of the Russian Baltic fleet, were arrested yesterday. The disaffection among the troops at the front shows signs of spreading, more troops having arrived here from the front. The resignation of Lvoff precipitated a stormy scene at the cabinet meeting yesterday. Premier Kerensky roundly criticized the ministers and military leaders for failing to suppress the mutinous soldiers, and blamed their weak stand for the recent turbulence throughout the country. Tereschenko retains his portfolio as minister of foreign affairs, while Premier Kerensky holds the reins of the war department in addition.

NEW RUSS CONFLICT APPEARS INEVITABLE

HELSINKI, Finland, July 21.—That a conflict between opposing factions in Russia is regarded as inevitable is the opinion of close observers of the complicated situation here. The action of the Finnish diet in declaring for independence is declared almost certain to foment trouble.

REICHSTAG SEAT FOR VON TIRPITZ?

LONDON, Eng., July 21.—News leading out from Germany would indicate that Von Tirpitz is expected to seek a seat in the Reichstag in order to become leader of the National Liberals.

TROOPS DISPERSE SPANISH STRIKERS

MADRID, Spain, July 21.—Premier Dato issued a statement today declaring the situation at Barcelona as normal. Six were wounded in yesterday's outbreak as a result of an attempt to hold an unauthorized session of parliament. Strikers who attacked a train at Valencia were dispersed by troops.

Little Change In Prices Today

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

	Yesterday	Today, July 21
Alaska Gold	8 1/2	8 1/2
American Smelter	100 1/2	100 1/2
American Sugar Ref.	122 1/2	122 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	120 1/4	120 1/4
Anacosta Copper	77 1/2	77 1/2
Atchafalca	100 1/4	100 1/4
Baldwin Loco.	71	70
Baltimore & Ohio	70 1/2	70 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	43 1/2	43 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	18 1/2	18 1/2
Canadian Pacific	163 1/2	163 1/2
C. & M. & St. P. (St. Paul)	68 1/2	68 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	50	49 1/2
Cruicible Steel	25	25
Ericsson	24 1/2	24 1/2
General Electric	156	153
General Motors, New	115 1/2	111 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	104 1/2	105
Inter. Harv. N. Y.	43 1/2	43 1/2
Kennecott Copper	83 1/2	82
Louisville & N.	89 1/2	89 1/2
New York Central	89 1/2	89 1/2
Pennsylvania	53 1/2	53 1/2
Ray Consol.	26 1/2	26 1/2
Reading Common	95 1/2	95 1/2
Southern Pacific	93 1/2	93 1/2
Studebaker	54 1/2	55
Texas Oil	192 1/2	190 1/2
Union Pacific	136	135 1/2
U. S. Steel	128 1/2	127 1/2
Utah	104	103 1/2
Western Union	75 1/2	75 1/2
Westinghouse	69 1/2	69 1/2